

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Srivats, et al.

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Examiner: Bellinger, Jason R

TITLE: WHEELS OF UNITARY  
CONSTRUCTION AND METHOD OF  
MAKING SAME

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2011, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application for the reasons set forth herein.

The shortened statutory period for response to the present Office Action expired on July 18, 2010. As this response is filed on October 18, 2011, Applicant herewith submits a petition for extension of time for three (3) months, and accordingly, Applicant believes it timely filed.

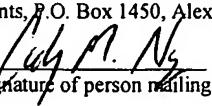
Further, as the present Office Action was made final by the Examiner, a Notice of Appeal is being filed concurrently herewith.

Should there be any additional fees due and owing with respect to this Amendment and Response, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 18-0586.

**Amendments** begin on Page 2 of this paper

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.

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